Amendment to H.R. 2419 Offered by Ms. Foxx

This amendment reduces reserve funding for Sec. 31, National Organic Certification Cost-Share Program by \$3 million and redirects this reserve funding into Sec. 32, Organic Production and Market Data Collection.

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(Page and line numbers refer to the Chairman's mark of the Horticulture and Organic Agriculture title posted on June 5)

Page 23, line 1, insert after the dollar amount, relating to the National Organic Certification Cost-Share Program, the following: "(reduced by \$3,000,000)".

Page 23, strike line 22 and all that follows through line 7 on page 24, and insert the following:

- 1 "SEC. 7407. ORGANIC DATA COLLECTION AND PUBLICA-
- 2 TION.
- 3 "(a) Data Collection and Publication.—To as-
- 4 sist organic farmers in making informed production and
- 5 marketing decisions, the Secretary of Agriculture shall col-
- 6 lect and publish segregated data and survey information
- 7 about the price, production, and marketing of major or-
- 8 ganically produced commodities, as determined by the Sec-
- 9 retary.
- 10 "(b) Contingent Funding.—In title XI of the
- 11 [2007 Farm Bill]—
- 12 "(1) if a change in law or laws not pertaining
- 13 to this section reduces outlays and/or increases rev-
- 14 enue by an amount sufficient to offset the increased

1	outlays that would occur over the period of fiscal
2	years 2007 through 2012 and the period of fiscal
3	years 2007 through 2017 if funds were provided
4	under paragraph (3) for fiscal years 2008 through
5	2012 (as estimated by the House Committee on the
6	Budget at the time of enactment of this Act); and
7	"(2) if such reductions in outlays or increases
8	in revenue in paragraph (1) are specifically and ex-
9	clusively dedicated to providing funds under para-
10	graph (3); then
11	"(3) the Secretary of Agriculture shall use
12	\$3,000,000 of funds of the Commodity Credit Cor-
13	poration to carry out this section during fiscal year
14	2008, and such funds shall remain available until
15	expended.".